

Section 18 Emergency Exemption

SECTION 18 QUARANTINE EXEMPTION FOR THE USE OF QUILT® ON SOYBEANS FOR CONTROL OF ASIAN RUST (*Phakopsora pachyrhizi*) IN THE STATE OF MICHIGAN

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EXPIRATION DATE: NOVEMBER 10, 2007

QUILT

FOR CONTROL OF ASIAN RUST ON SOYBEANS

Active Ingredient:	
Azoxystrobin	7.0%
Propiconazole	11.7%
Other Ingredients:	81.3%
Total:	100.0%

Contains 1.04 lb ai propiconazole and 0.62 lb ai azoxystrobin per gallon.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

FAILURE TO FOLLOW THE DIRECTIONS FOR USE AND PRECAUTIONS ON THIS LABEL MAY RESULT IN POOR DISEASE CONTROL, CROP INJURY, OR ILLEGAL RESIDUES.

Follow all applicable directions, resistance management guidelines, restrictions, and precautions, including statements pertaining to the worker protection standards, on the Quilt (EPA Registration No. 100-1178) label.

This label must be in the possession of the user at the time of pesticide application.

Soybeans

Apply 14-20 fl. oz./A of Quilt as a preventive foliar application (0 to <2% incidence in the field i.e. 2 of 100 plants infected) when conditions are favorable for disease development. For optimum performance, use an oil based adjuvant for improved coverage and penetration. A second application 14-21 days later may be needed if conditions persist. Use the higher rate and shorter spray intervals if disease pressure is higher (2 to 10% incidence in the field). Scouting for the disease and/or being aware of the proximity of the disease via monitoring systems will aid in the proper timing to maximize the effectiveness of the fungicide application. Quilt is most effective when applied just prior to or at onset of disease. Quilt is not recommended if soybean rust has reached the mid-canopy. Quilt may be applied up to soybean growth stage R6.

On certain varieties, Quilt applications may cause crinkled, smaller, and/or greener leaves. Plants displaying these characteristics have not shown reduced yields.

Spray coverage and canopy penetration are important for best results. Quilt can be applied by either aerial or ground equipment. Use sufficient water volume to provide thorough and uniform plant coverage. When using aerial application, apply in a minimum of 5 gal./A. When using ground application, apply in a minimum of 10 gals./A.

Notes: To avoid possible illegal residues, (1) Do not make more than 2 applications or apply more than 40 fl. oz. of Quilt per acre per year. (2) Do not apply more than 0.339 lbs ai/A of propiconazole to soybeans per year. Do not apply more than 1.5 lb ai/A of azoxystrobin to soybeans per year. (3) Do not rotate to any crop within 105 days of Quilt application, unless the second crop appears on the Quilt or Tilt (EPA Reg No. 100-617) federal labels. (4) A maximum of 3 total applications using approved Section 18 products collectively are allowed under this soybean rust Section 18. Do not make more than 2 applications of propiconazole-containing products to soybeans per season

Any adverse effects resulting from the use of Quilt under this emergency exemption must be immediately reported to the Michigan Department of Agriculture.

ATTENTION

Quilt is extremely phytotoxic to certain apple varieties.

AVOID SPRAY DRIFT. Extreme care must be used to prevent injury to apple trees (and apple fruit).

DO NOT spray Quilt where spray drift may reach apple trees.

DO NOT spray when conditions favor drift beyond area intended for application. Conditions, which may contribute to drift, include thermal inversion, wind speed and direction, sprayer nozzle/pressure combinations, spray droplet size, etc. Contact your State extension agent for spray drift prevention guidelines in your area.

DO NOT use spray equipment that has been previously used to apply Quilt to spray apple trees. Even trace amounts can cause unacceptable phytotoxicity.

AVOIDING SPRAY DRIFT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE APPLICATOR.

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